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Eve.

Today you stated that the Village of Palmetto Bay would like to extend the duties of the Building Official, who heads the Village Building Department and is a licensed architect. The new duties include supervising building contractors who are doing projects for the Village. Currently, as head of the Village Building Department, the Building Official is responsible for determining if new construction meets code requirements.

Nothing in the County Ethics Code prohibits expanding the duties of the Building Official as you have described. His new duties would not conflict with his current responsibilities as head of the Building Department or as the supervisor of building inspectors within the department.

Please feel free to contact me if you have further questions. Regards,

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